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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2001, and in light of the in person Interview of August 22, 2001 and telephone Interview of September 18, 2001 ("Interviews"), Applicant requests entrance of the following Amendment into the case, and consideration of the following Remarks.

Amendment

Please add the following new claims 56-58:

56. (New) A method comprising steps of:

selecting à structure for a golf club head having a face, a sole, and a design loft; selecting a structure for a hosel, so that, if the golf club head were attached to a shaft at the hosel and the sole of the golf club head were positioned on a flat surface so that its face achieves the design loft with respect to a plane perpendicular to the flat surface, the angle drawn between the centerline of the shaft and a plane perpendicular the flat surface is non-zeto; and

forging or casting the selected structure for the golf club head and hosel.

57. (New) The method of claim 56, further comprising the step of attaching a shaft to the gold 1 of 11

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Enclosed herewith are the following:

- 1. Response to Office Action (11 pages);
- 2. Declaration Under Rule 1.132 by John Hampford (5 pages); and
- 3. Return Postcard

Please charge any other fees that may be associated with this matter, or credit any overpayments, to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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